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FOR THE EASTERN DISTRICT OF PENNSYLVANIA — DESIGNATION FORM to be used by counsel to indicate the category the case for the purpose of assignment to appropriate calendar.

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Ford Motor Company Parklane Towers West Suite 1500 Three Parklane Boulevard Dearborn, MI 48126-2568

General Motors Corporation 400 Renaissance Center P.O. Box 400 Detroit, MI 48265-4000

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IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT FOR THE EASTERN DISTRICT OF PENNSYLVANIA

CASE MANAGEMENT TRACK DESIGNATION FORM

MICHAEL	MENTZER,	Executor	of	the	Estate	of
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CASE NO.

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DAIMLERCHRYSLER CORPORATION FORD MOTOR COMPANY GENERAL MOTORS CORPORATION FEDERAL-MOGUL GLOBAL, INC.

In accordance with the Civil Justice Expense and Delay Reduction Plan of this court, counsel for plaintiff shall complete a Case Management Track Designation Form in all civil cases at the time of filing the complaint and serve a copy on all defendants. (See §1:03 of the plan set forth on the reverse side of this form.) In the event that a defendant does not agree with the plaintiff regarding said designation, that defendant shall, with its first appearance, submit to the clerk of court and serve on the plaintiff and all other parties, a case management track designation form specifying the track to which that defendant believes the case should be assigned.

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DaimlerChrysler Corporation, Ford Motor Company and General Motors Corporation

IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT FOR THE EASTERN DISTRICT OF PENNSYLVANIA

MICHAEL MENTZER, Executor of the Estate of CASE NO. HAROLD MENTZER, SR., Deceased

V.

DAIMLERCHRYSLER CORPORATION FORD MOTOR COMPANY GENERAL MOTORS CORPORATION FEDERAL-MOGUL GLOBAL, INC.

NOTICE OF REMOVAL

Defendants DaimlerChrysler Corporation, Ford Motor Company and General Motors Corporation (the "automobile manufacturers") hereby give notice of the removal to the United States District Court for the Eastern District of Pennsylvania of the claims which have been asserted against them in the action captioned Michael Mentzer, Executor of the Estate of Harold Mentzer, Sr., Deceased v. Pneumo Abex Corporation, et al. now pending in the Court of Common Pleas of Bucks County, at No. 02-90104. This Notice of Removal is filed pursuant to 28 U.S.C. § 1452(a), and as grounds for removal the automobile manufacturers state the following:

- The action of which the removed claims are a part was commenced in the Court of Common Pleas of Bucks County.
- 2. The removed claims are those for personal injury or wrongful death asserted against the automobile manufacturers on the basis of alleged exposure to certain of their asbestos-containing products, including brakes and other automotive parts, manufactured for the automobile

manufacturers by Federal-Mogul Global, Inc., or companies that it purchased, one or more of which is a co-defendant of the automobile manufacturers.

- 3. On October 1, 2001 Federal-Mogul Global, Inc. filed a voluntary petition for protection under Chapter 11 of the United States Bankruptcy Code, commencing bankruptcy case number 01-10578 (the "Federal-Mogul Bankruptcy Case") currently pending in the United States Bankruptcy Court for the District of Delaware.
- 4. The removed claims may be removed to this Court pursuant to 28 U.S.C. § 1452(a): (i) the removed claims are asserted in a civil action not exempt from removal; and (ii) the Court has jurisdiction of the removed claims under 28 U.S.C. § 1334. All claims asserted against the Removing Defendants are related to the Federal-Mogul Bankruptcy Case, and the continued prosecution, outcome at trial or other resolution of the claims will have an effect on the administration of the Federal-Mogul Bankruptcy Case.
- 5. Removal to this Court is timely pursuant to Federal Rule of Bankruptcy Procedure 9027(a)(3) in that the Federal-Mogul Bankruptcy Case was pending when the removed claims were asserted on or after October 1, 2001 and in that this notice has been filed within 30 days of receipt by one or all of the automobile manufacturers of a copy of the initial pleading setting forth the removed claims.
- 6. Upon removal, the proceedings with respect to the removed claims are non-core. The automobile manufacturers do not consent to entry of a final order or judgment by the bankruptcy judge to the extent the bankruptcy court is authorized to hear or determine such claims consistent with 28 U.S.C. § 157(b)(5).

- The purpose of removal is to facilitate transfer of the removed claims to the United States District Court for the District of Delaware, the district court presiding over the Federal-Mogul Bankruptcy Case, to resolve on a consolidated basis the common threshold scientific issues concerning whether brakes and other automotive parts cause disease. *See, e.g., In re Dow Corning Corp.*, 1995 W.L. 495978, at *2 (Bankr. E.D. Mich. Aug. 9, 1995) (personal injury tort claims transferred to bankruptcy court pursuant to 28 U.S.C. § 157(b)(5) to resolve threshold scientific issues concerning whether silicone breast implants caused disease after removal to federal court pursuant to 28 U.S.C. § 1452(a)).
- 8. On November 20, 2001, the automobile manufacturers filed in the Federal-Mogul Bankruptcy Case a motion pursuant to 28 U.S.C. § 157(b)(5) to transfer this and all other claims related to brakes and automotive parts for consolidated resolution of the threshold scientific issues concerning whether brakes and other automotive parts cause disease.
- 9. On December 10, 2001 the Honorable Alfred M. Wolin issued the attached Order provisionally transferring pursuant to 28 U.S.C. § 157(b)(5) the claims asserted against the automobile manufacturers to the United States District Court for the District of Delaware.
- 10. On January 3, 2002, Judge Wolin issued a letter opinion and order reiterating that all asbestos friction claims against the automobile manufacturers pending in federal courts as of December 10 had been transferred, and ordering any claims removed after December 10 transferred as well. A copy of the Order and Opinion are attached to this Notice.
- 11. On February 8, 2002, the Honorable Alfred M. Wolin denied the "Motions to Transfer the 'Friction Claims'" and simultaneously remanded the friction products claims. Attached hereto is a copy of said Order.

- 12. However, on February 11, 2002, the United States Court of Appeals for the Third Circuit granted a Temporary Stay of Judge Wolin's February 8, 2002 Court Order so that the matter could be considered by a three-judge panel of that court. Attached hereto is a copy of said Order.
- 13. The Removing Defendants file this Notice of Removal to adequately protect the interests of Removing Defendants and to facilitate transfer of these claims to the United States District Court for the District of Delaware pursuant to Judge Wolin's provisional transfer order.
- 14. The automobile manufacturers will comply with 28 U.S.C. § 1446(d) by promptly giving notice of the filing of this Notice of Removal to all adverse parties to the action pending in the state court and filing a copy of this Notice of Removal with the prothonotary of the Court of Common Pleas of Bucks County.

Respectfully submitted,

LAVIN, COLEMAN, O'NEIL, RICCI,

FINARELLI & GRAY

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Edward T. Finch, Esquire

Attorney for Defendants,

DaimlerChrysler Corporation,

Ford Motor Company and

General Motors Corporation

CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I, Edward T. Finch, Esquire, hereby certify that pursuant to 28 U.S.C. § 1446(d) written notice of the removal of this action will be promptly given to all adverse parties and a copy of the Notice of Removal will be filed with the Court of Common Pleas.

Edward T. Finch, Esquire

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Holland, Pennsylvania 18966

COURT OF COMMON PLEAS

BUCKS COUNTY, PA

ASBESTOS CASE

JURY TRIAL DEMANDED

NO. 02-90104

VS.

PNEUMO ABEX CORPORATION, et al

COMPLAINT

NOTICE

You have been sued in court. If you wish to defend against the claims set forth in the following pages, you must take action within twenty (20) days after this complaint and notice are served, by entering a written appearance personally or by attorney and filing in writing with the court your defenses or objections to the claims set forth against you. You are warned that if you fail to do so the case may proceed without you and a wildinger than the court may be settled. judgment may be entered against you by the court without further notice for any money claimed in the complaint or for any other claim or relief requested by the plaintiff. You may lose money or property or other rights important to you

YOU SHOULD TAKE THIS PAPER TO YOUR LAWYER AT ONCE. IF YOU DO NOT HAVE A LAWYER OR CANNOT AFFORD ONE. GO TO OR TELEPHONE THE OFFICE SET FORTH BELOW TO FIND OUT WHERE YOU CAN GET LEGAL HELP

AVISO

Le han demandado a usted en la corte. Si usted quiere defenderse de estas de estas demandas expuestas en las paginas siguientes, usted tiene veinte (20) días de plazo al partir de la fecha de la demanda y la notificación. Hace falta asentar una comparencia escrita o en persona o con un abogado y entregar a la corte en forma escrita sus defensas o sus objeciones a las demandas en contra de su persona. Sea avisado que si usted no se defiende, la corte tomará medidas y puede continuar la demanda en contra suva sin previo aviso o notificación. Además, la corte puede decidir a favor del demandante y requiere que usted compla con todas las provisiones de esta demanda. Usted puede perder dinero o sus

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DEFENDANTS ADDRESSES

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Pneumo Abex Corporation c/o Prentice Hall Corporation 2704 Commerce Drive, Suite B Harrisburg, PA 17110 (DAUPHIN COUNTY)

Allied Signal, Inc. P.O. Box 2245 R Morristown, New Jersey 07960

Crown, Cork & Seal Company One Crown Way Philadelphia, PA 19154 (PHILADELPHIA COUNTY)

DaimlerChrysler Corporation 1000 Chrysler Drive Auburn Hills, Michigan 48326

Ford Motor Company c/o John Rintamaki 1037 The American Road Dearborn, Michigan 48121

Foster Wheeler Corporation Perryville Corporate Park Clinton, New Jersey 08809

General Motors Corporation c/o C.T. Corporation Systems 1515 Market Street Philadelphia, PA 19102 (PHILADELPHIA, COUNTY)

General Refractories Company 225 City Line Avenue Bala Cynwyd, PA 19004 (MONTGOMERY COUNTY)



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Honeywell International, Inc. P.O. Box 4000 Morristown, New Jersey 07962

IMO Industries, Inc. 997 Lenox Drive, Suite 111 **Building Four West** Lawrenceville, New Jersey 08648

Mahoning Valley Gasket Company c/o Kelly Tait, Esquire Marks, O'Neill, O'Brien & Courtney 1880 John F. Kennedy Boulevard Philadelphia, PA 19103 (PHILADELPHIA COUNTY)

Maremont Corporation One Noblitt Plaza Columbus IN 47201

Metropolitan Life Insurance Company 1 Madison Avenue New York, New York 10010

Owens-Illinois, Inc. One Sea Gate Toledo, Ohio 43666

Rapid American Corporation c/o Prentice Hall 2711 Centerville Road, Suite 400 Wilmington, Delaware 19808-1654

Rockbestos Surprenant Cable Corporation f/k/a Rock Bestos Company C.T. Corporation c/o U.S. Corporation 2704 Commerce Drive, Suite B Harrisburg, PA 17110 (DAUPHIN COUNTY)

Sager Corporation c/o Richard C. Polley, Esquire Dickie, McCamey & Chilcote Suite 400, Two PPG Place Pittsburgh, PA 15222 (ALLEGHENY COUNTY)

Uniroyal, Inc. 70 Great Hill Road Naugatuck, CT 06770 ANAPOL, SCHWARTZ, WEISS, COHAN, FELDMAN & SMALLEY

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<u>ЛЛКҮ TRIAL DEMANDE</u>D

NO.

485 PNEUMO ABEX CORPORATION, as successor in interest to Abex Corporation;

242 ALLIED SIGNAL, INC.;

VS.

72 CROWN, CORK & SEAL CO., INC.;

62 DAIMLEYCHRYSLER CORPORATION;

245 FORD MOTOR COMPANY;

105 FOSTER WHEELER CORPORATION;

110 GENERAL MOTORS CORPORATION;

111 GENERAL REFRACTORIES COMPANY; HONEYWELL INTERNATIONAL INC., as successor in interest to Allied Signal, Inc.;

IMO INDUSTRIES, INC., as successor in 478 interest to and f/k/a DeLaval Turbine, Transamerica DeLaval and Imo DeLaval;

148 MAHONING VALLEY GASKET COMPANY; :

MAREMONT CORPORATION; 150

OWENS ILLINOIS, INC.; 171

424 RAPID AMERICAN CORPORATION:

454 ROCKBESTOS-SURPRENANT CABLE CORP., formerly known as ROCK BESTOS CO.:

198 SAGER CORPORATION;

UNIROYAL, INC.; 220

METROPOLITAN LIFE INSURANCE CO. 481

COMPLAINT

Pursuant to an Order dated February 3, 1989, signed by the Honorable Issac S. Garb, President Judge, the following Short Form Complaint is utilized in this asbestos action. Plaintiffs hereby incorporate the Amended Master Long Form Complaint as fully as if that document was set forth at length herein including, but not limited to:

> COUNTI (Negligence and Outrageous Conduct)

COUNTIL (Strict Liability) COUNT III (Conspiracy)

(Breach of Warranty) COUNT IV

(Damages) COUNT V

COUNT VII (Wrongful Death)

- 1. The Plaintiffs in the instant matter are:
 - Michael Mentzer, Executor of the Estate of Harold Mentzer, Sr. a. 156 Rocksville Road Holland, Pennsylvania 18966
 - Harold Mentzer, Sr. (Plaintiff-Decedent-Worker) b.

Social Security No. 187-14-0243

Date of Birth: May 15, 1924

Date of Death: November 26, 2001

- 2. The Defendants in the instant matter are those listed in the above caption.
- 3. The Defendants in the instant matter are those listed in the above captioned. In addition, Plaintiff has named Defendant, RAPID AMERICAN CORPORATION, which was not named in Plaintiffs' Master General Long Form Complaint, No. 89-90000-11-2.

Defendant, RAPID AMERICAN CORPORATION, as successor in interest to Philip Carey Corporation, is a corporation whose registered agent address for process

of serving is, Prentice Hall, 2711 Centerville Road, Wilmington, Delaware 19808, which is doing business in the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania. At all times material hereto, Defendant, RAPID AMERICAN, manufactured, produced and sold, either directly and indirectly, in the geographical area in which Plaintiff worked, and/or to employers of the Plaintiff and/or to contractors on job sites on which Plaintiff worked, asbestos products, including but not limited to asbestos block, pipe covering and insulation materials.

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Defendant, METROPOLITAN LIFE INSURANCE COMPANY, is an insurance company organized and existing under the laws of the State of New York, has its principal place of business in the State of New York and at all times material hereto was doing business in the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania. It is sued for its conduct and omissions as a consultant to certain defendants.

- 5. Plaintiff's Decedent-worker's asbestos exposure history, including to the extent possible at this time, the asbestos manufacturers and products to which Plaintiff's Decedent-worker was exposed; and the inclusive dates of exposure and job site(s) is attached hereto as Exhibit I.
- 6. Plaintiff-decedent's estate first learned of decedent's asbestos-related disease, Lung Cancer, on or about June 23, 2001, from Dr. Alfred Neugut. Plaintiff's

estate first became aware of his asbestos-related disease only after the diagnosis date.

- 7. Plaintiff-decedent-worker's history of tobacco use is as follows: Plaintiff-decedent smoked one pack of cigarettes per day from 1940 until quitting in 1978.
- A claim for lost wages is not asserted at this time, but may become viable in 8. the future.
- The following persons were dependent upon Plaintiff's Decedent-worker for 9 support:
 - None a.
- Plaintiff hereby certifies through his undersigned counsel that he has 10. brought no other claim in a court of law for Plaintiff's Decedent-worker's asbestos caused injuries alleged herein.
- Michael Mentzer, Executor of the Estate of Harold Mentzer, Sr., Deceased, 11. brings this Wrongful Death and Survival action pursuant to 42 Pa. Cons. Stat. Ann. §8301 and §8302, respectively, and is entitled to recover thereunder as executor and beneficiary.

FOR CHILDREN SURVIVING -- In addition, the following beneficiaries are entitled to recover pursuant to 42 Pa. Cons. Stat Ann. §8301:

- Michael Mentzer, son a.
- Harold Mentzer, Jr., son b.
- John Mentzer, son c.

WHEREFORE, Plaintiff, Michael Mentzer, Executor of the Estate of Harold Mentzer, Sr., in his own right, pray for judgment against the Defendants and each of them individually, jointly and/or severally on each of the above Counts, for compensatory damages in an amount in excess of FIFTY-THOUSAND DOLLARS (\$50,000.00) and (except on Count IV) punitive damages in a sum in excess of FIFTY-THOUSAND DOLLARS (\$50,000.00) plus costs of suit, and such other and further relief as is just and proper.

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LAWRENCE R. COHAN, ESQUIRE MARGARET A. BARRY, ESQUIRE THOMAS R. ANAPOL, ESQUIRE MIRIAM B. BARISH, ESQUIRE HEATHER J. LIPSON, ESQUIRE

HAROLD MENTZER, SR. EXHIBIT I (PLAINTIFF-DECEDENT WORKER'S WORK HISTORY)

Consideration Distribution	DAGO, SANTAS DAGO, SANTAS	Employer Location	Social Security Number:	Job Description.	Asbestosyled by Manufacturers s Products = \$11
1952	1986	USX Fairless Hills, PA	187-14-0243	Laborer/ Maintenace	See detailed description in Plaintiff's Master Long Form Complaint
1946	1950	Foster Motor Altoona, PA	22	Auto Mechanic	u 19

<u>AFFIDAVIT</u>

COMMONWEALTH OF PENNSYLVANIA

COUNTY OF MONT gamery

MICHAEL MENTZER, Executor of the Estate of Harold Mentzer, Sr., being duly sworn according to law, deposes and says that the facts set forth in the foregoing COMPLAINT are true and correct to the best of his knowledge, information and belief.

BY:

MICHAEL MENTZER, Executor of the Estate of Harold Mentzer, Sr.

SWORN TO AND SUBSCRIBED

BEFORE ME THIS 30 DAY

OF ______, 20

My Commission Expires: _///7 /0 ≥

NOTARIAL SEAL BARBARA & CULLISON Notary Public Haverford, Montgomery County My Commission Expires Nov. 17, 2002